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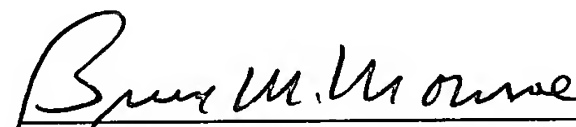
Extension of Time

A check for a one-month Extension of Time accompanies this response. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3), the Director is respectfully requested to consider this check as a constructive petition for an extension of time.

Conclusion

It is respectfully submitted that the claim is in condition for immediate allowance and a notice to this effect is earnestly solicited. The Examiner is invited to phone applicant's attorney if it is believed that a telephonic or personal interview would expedite prosecution of the application.

Respectfully submitted,



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